

# Solo Leveling

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THE HUNTERS FROM  
THE SURVEILLANCE  
TEAM HAVE ARRIVED.

THE SURVEILLANCE  
TEAM IS HERE?

LOOKS LIKE  
SOMETHING'S ABOUT  
TO GO DOWN.







WHY DID HE  
APPLY TO BE A  
MINER?

AND FOR TWO  
DAYS IN A ROW,  
AT THAT.



THERE'S NO  
DENYING THAT  
SUNG JINWOO IS  
AN S-RANK.

I WISH HE'D  
BE MORE CAREFUL,  
SINCE ALL OF HIS  
ACTIONS CAN NOW BE  
SCRUTINIZED...



WHOA,  
WHAT BRINGS  
THE SURVEILLANCE  
AGENTS DOWN  
HERE?



WE'VE RECEIVED WORD  
THAT MR. SUNG JINWOO  
HAS JOINED THE MINING  
TEAM. MAY I ASK  
WHERE HE IS?

YOU TOO? DID  
THAT YOUNG MAN  
DO SOMETHING  
WRONG...?

**I KNEW IT!  
I TOLD YOU,  
DIDN'T I?**

**IF HE HADN'T  
BECOME A HUNTER,  
HE'D HAVE BEEN  
OUT THERE  
MURDERING  
PEOPLE!**

**WHEN HE TURNED  
AROUND AND SMILED  
AT ME, I SAW EVIL IN  
HIS EYES!**

**BOY, DID IT SEND  
CHILLS DOWN MY SPINE.  
JUST THINKING ABOUT  
IT IS GIVING ME THE  
CREEPS.**





SO WHERE IS  
MR. SLUNG?



NOBODY WAS WILLING  
TO COVER FOR THEM,  
SO SLUNG VOLUNTEERED  
AND WENT INSIDE WITH  
THE STRIKE SQUAD.



FIRST HE  
WAS A MINER, NOW  
HE'S A PORTER?  
HE REALLY IS  
PECULIAR.



WHAT'S ALL  
THE FUSS ABOUT  
ANYWAY?



JUST NOW, MS. CHA  
HAE-IN WENT INSIDE THE  
GATE LOOKING FOR  
SUNG AS WELL.

*MS. CHA  
ENTERED THE  
GATE, TOO?*

HE'S EITHER  
DONE SOMETHING  
WRONG OR KILLED  
SOMEONE, HUH?

I KNEW HE  
WAS CAPABLE OF  
COMMITTING A  
CRIME.

YOU'LL FIND OUT  
TOMORROW. IT'LL  
BE ON THE  
NEWS.





SEE, WHAT DID I TELL YOU? THERE WAS SOMETHING OFF ABOUT HIM.

HE DIDN'T SEEM THAT WAY TO ME...

SAME. SUNG WAS A GREAT WORKER.







WHAT IS  
THIS?!

I SENSE  
A MALICIOUS  
ENERGY!

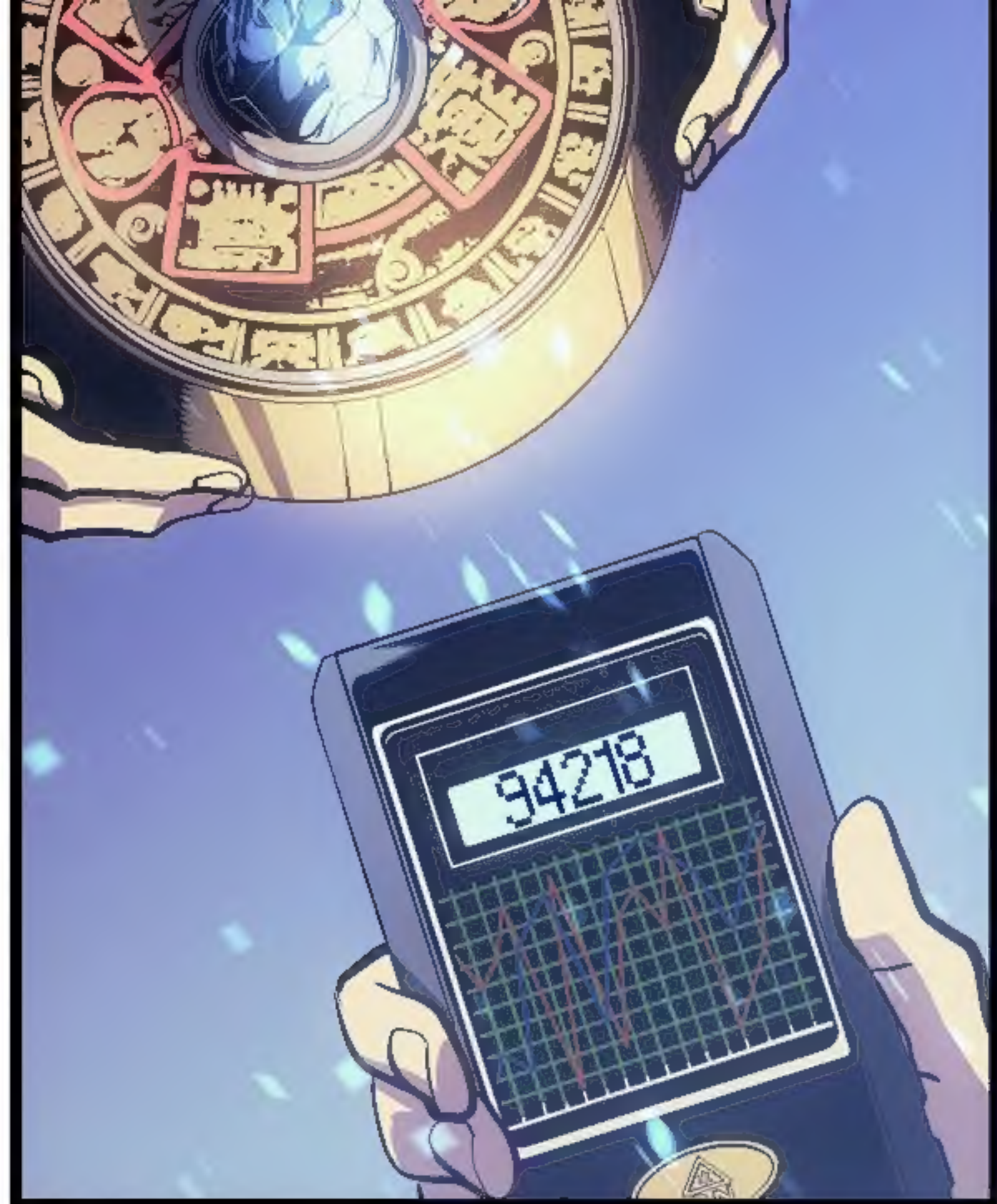


NO  
WAY... THAT'S  
IMPOSSIBLE.

IT WAS JUST FOR A  
SPLIT SECOND, BUT...  
IT FELT LIKE MY BODY  
WAS BEING RIPPED  
TO PIECES.

SIR, DID YOU  
FEEL THAT JUST  
NOW...?





**WHAT??**

**THIS IS AN  
A-RANK GATE OF  
THE ABSOLUTE  
HIGHEST LEVEL!**



**THE  
ASSOCIATION MUST  
HAVE MISCALCULATED  
THE GATE'S MANA  
LEVEL!**

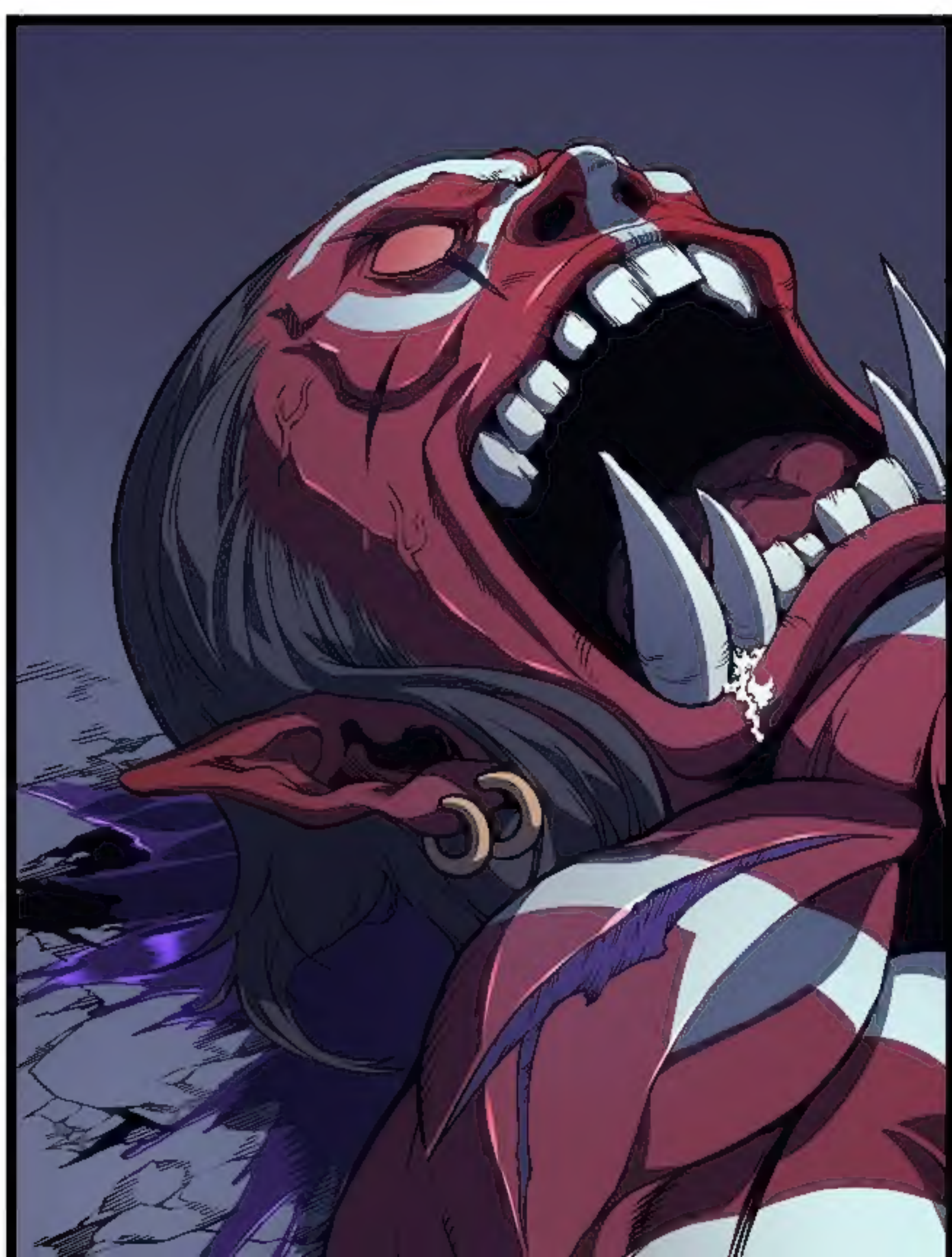


IF A STRIKE SQUAD  
WAS FORMED BASED ON  
THE RANK POSTED BY THE  
ASSOCIATION, WE'VE GOT  
A POTENTIAL CRISIS ON  
OUR HANDS.



TWO S-RANKS WENT  
INSIDE, SO THINGS  
SHOULD BE OKAY,  
BUT...

*WE MUST ENTER  
AT ONCE.*







SON KIHOOON'S  
TEAM KILLED ALL  
THESE HIGH  
ORCS?

A group of orcs are shown in a dark, rocky landscape. They are wearing red and white tunics with yellow and red patterns. One orc in the foreground is looking towards the left. In the background, another orc is visible, and a long spear lies on the ground. The scene is dimly lit, with a dark, stormy sky.

HOW WERE THEY  
ABLE TO DEFEAT  
ALL OF THEM?

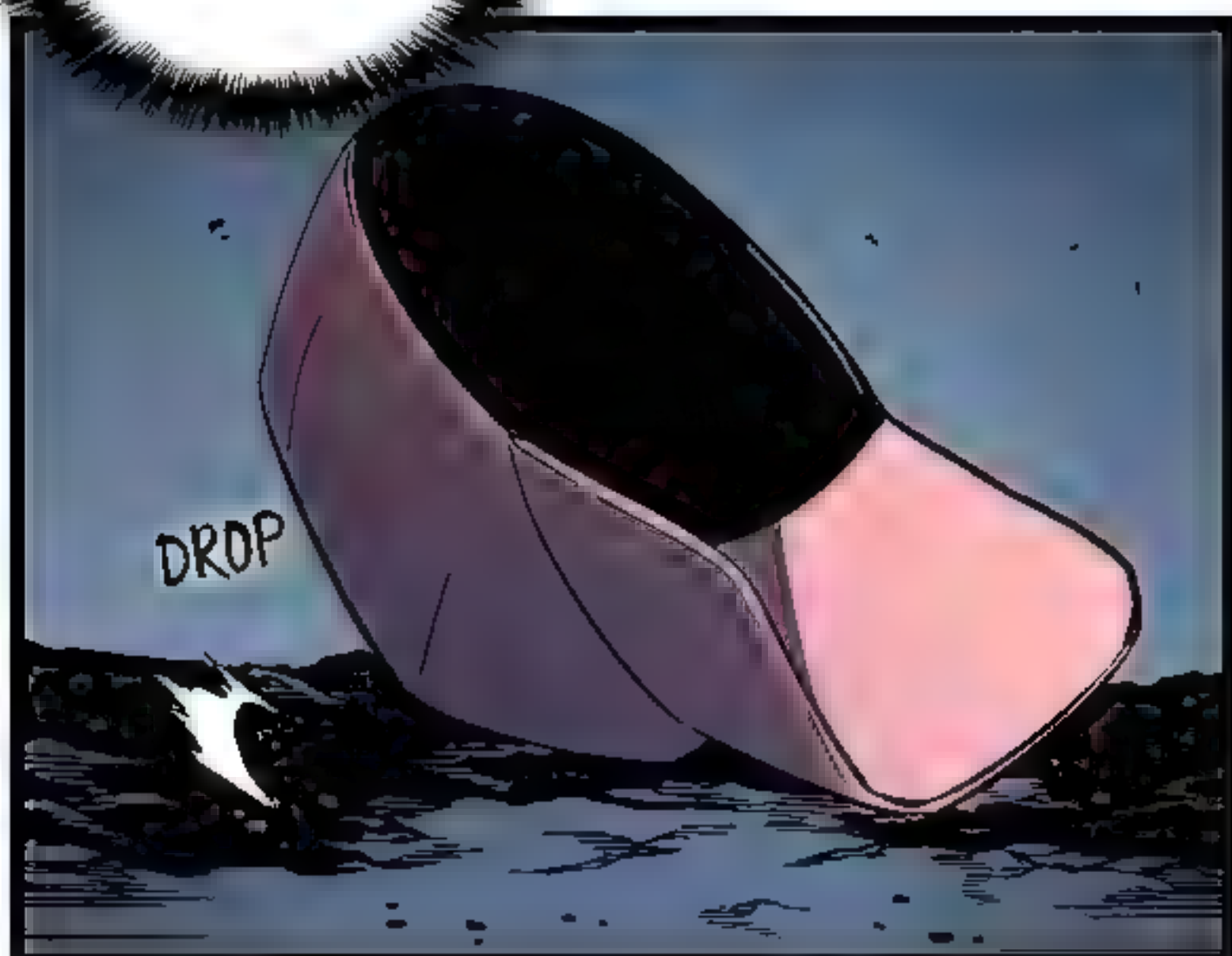








OH, NO!



IF THESE MANA WAVES  
ARE COMING FROM THE  
BOSS, NOT A SINGLE PERSON  
FROM SON KIHOOON'S TEAM  
WILL BE ABLE TO  
SURVIVE.



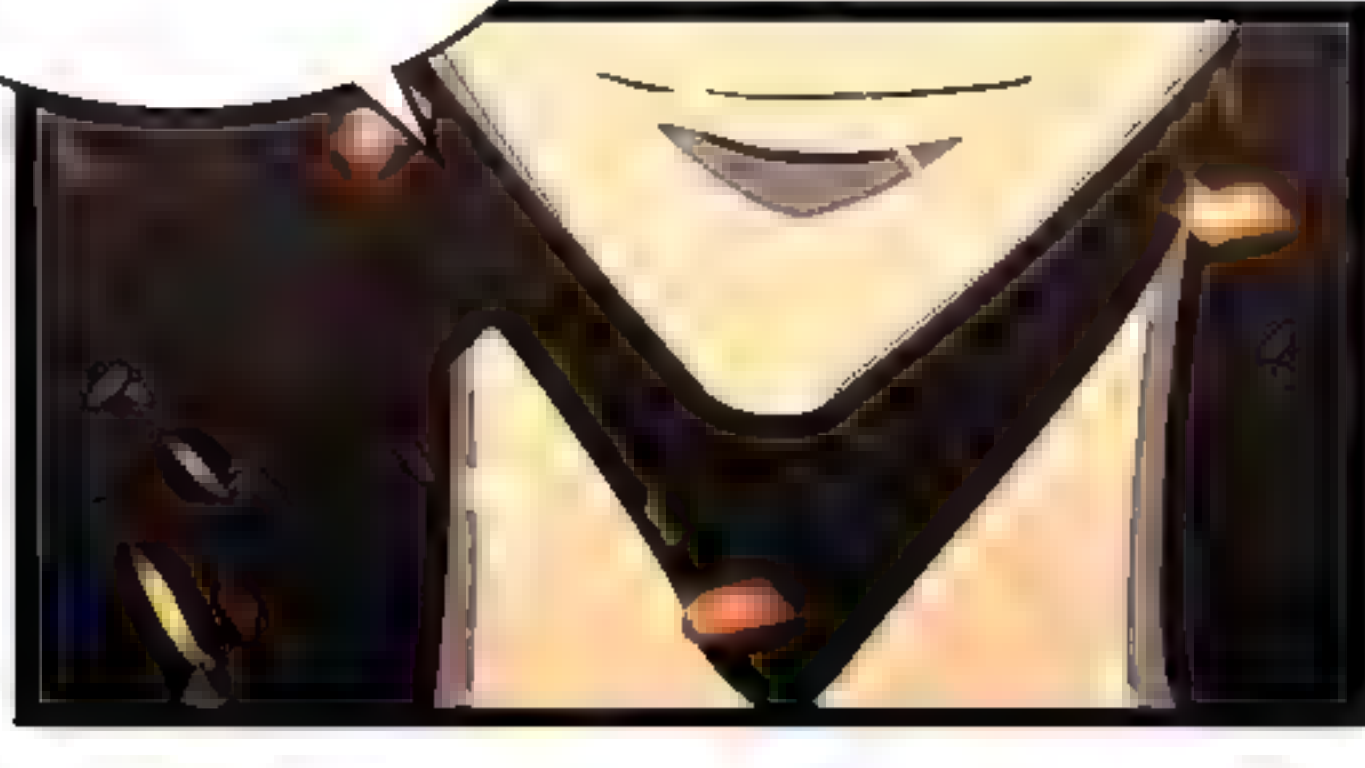




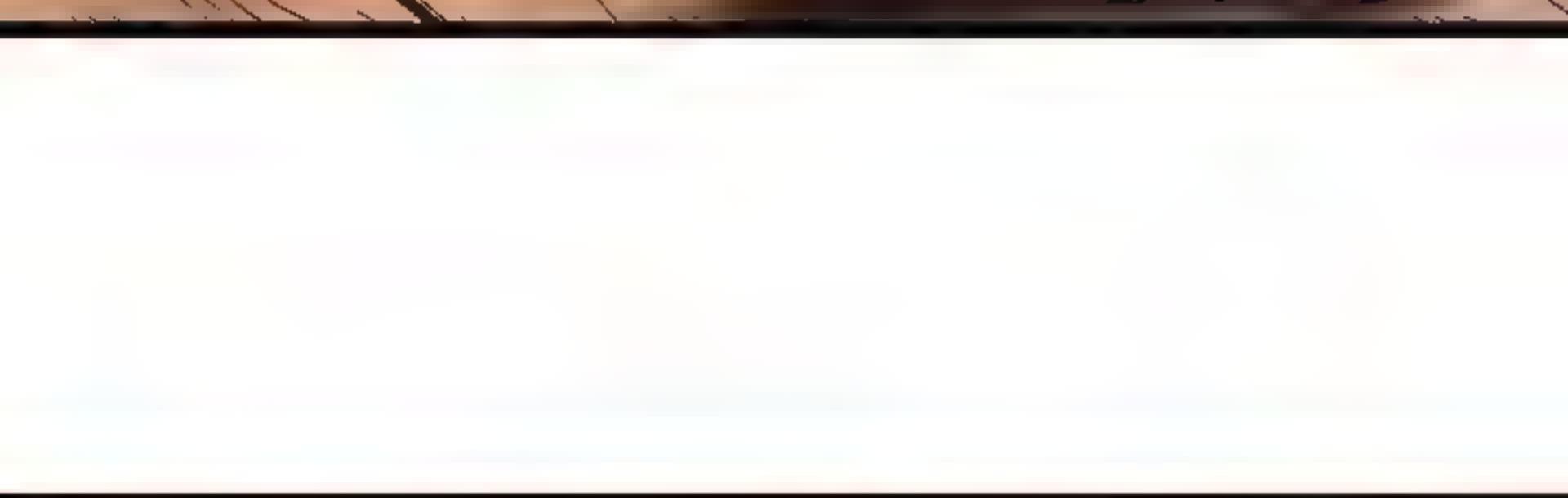




YOU'RE GOING TO REGRET...





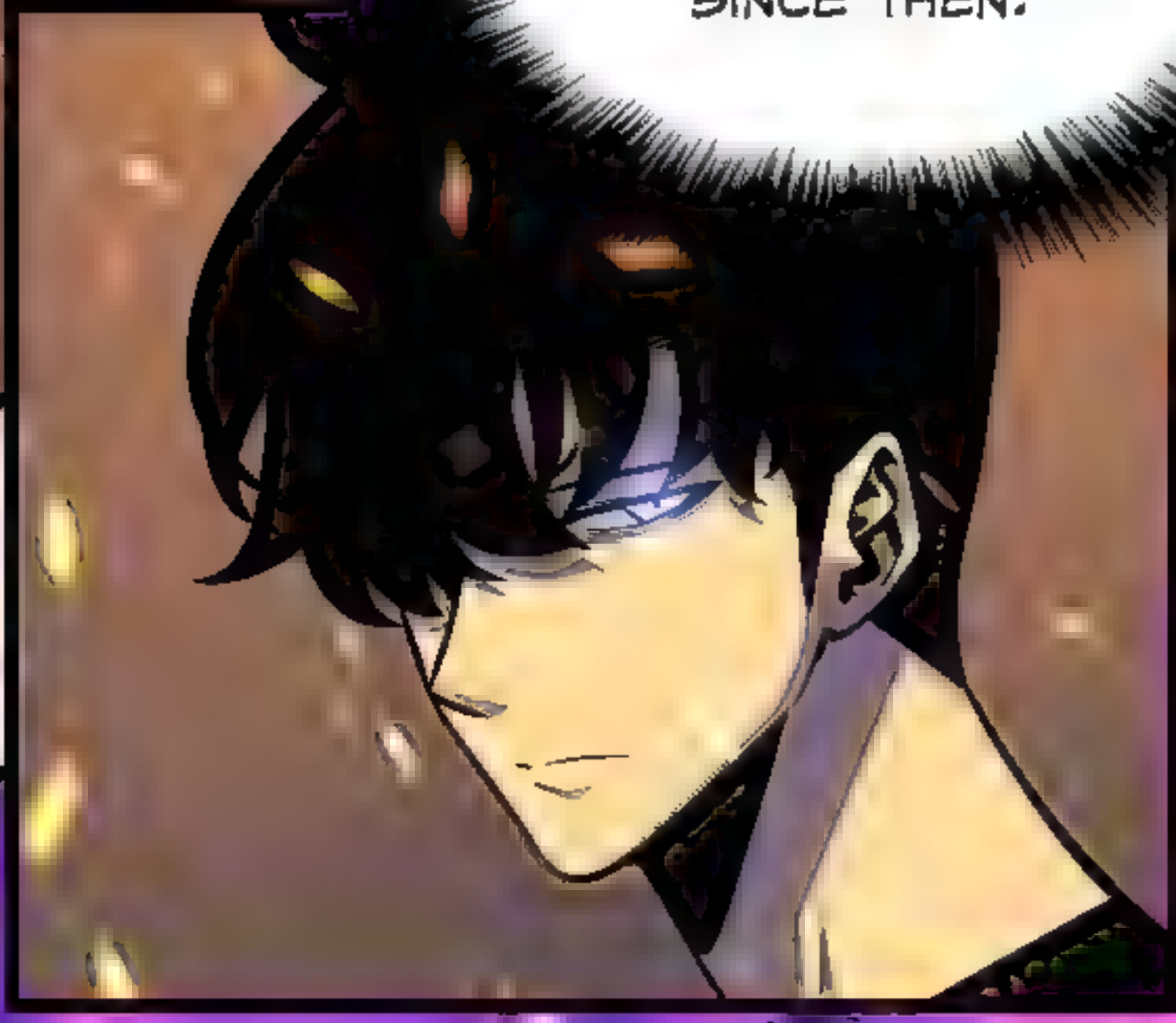




[SHADOW SOLDIERS FIGHTING WITHIN  
THE SHADOW OF THEIR SUMMONER WILL  
RECEIVE A 50% STAT INCREASE.]

THIS IS A NEW  
JOB-SPECIFIC SKILL  
I OBTAINED AFTER  
REACHING LEVEL 70  
AT THE DEMONS'  
CASTLE.

MY SHADOW  
SOLDIERS HAVE GROWN  
MORE POWERFUL  
SINCE THEN.







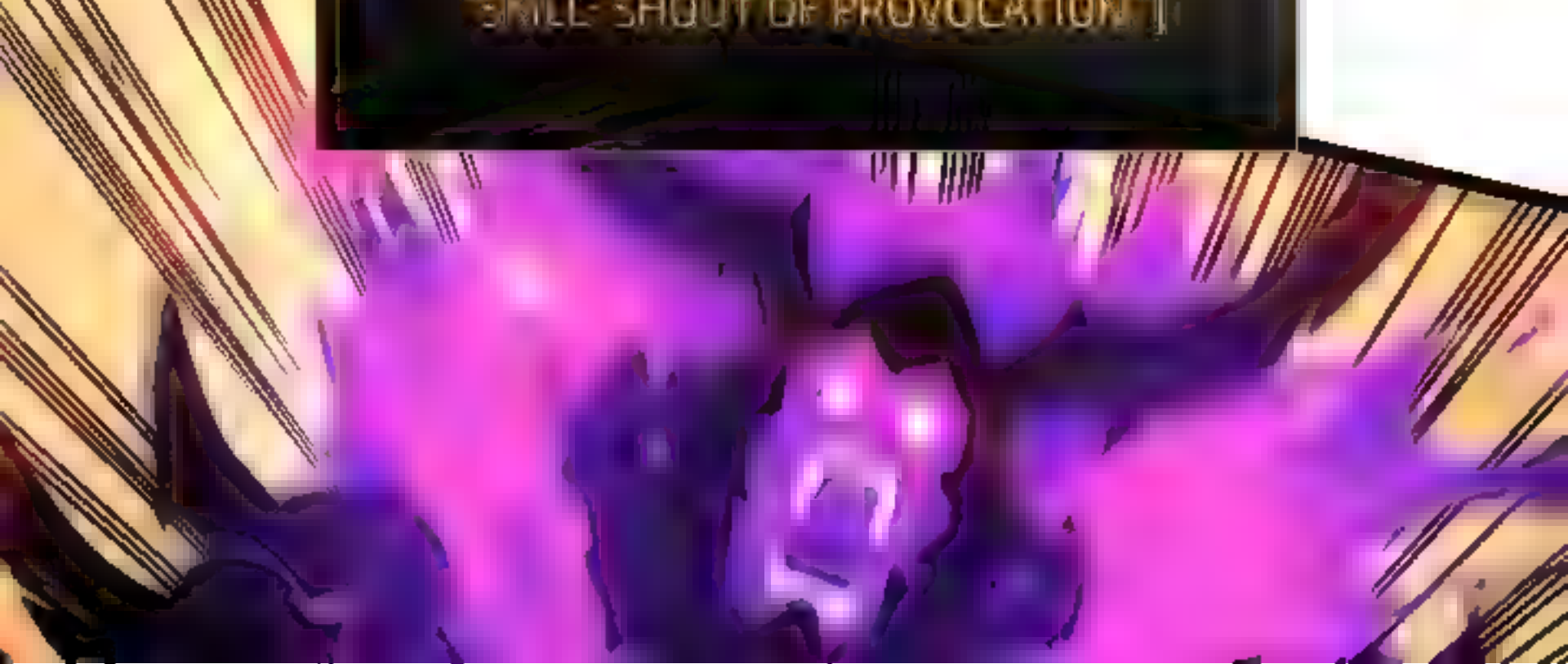




WHAT ARE YOU  
ALL WAITING FOR?  
ATTACK THEM AT  
ONCE!



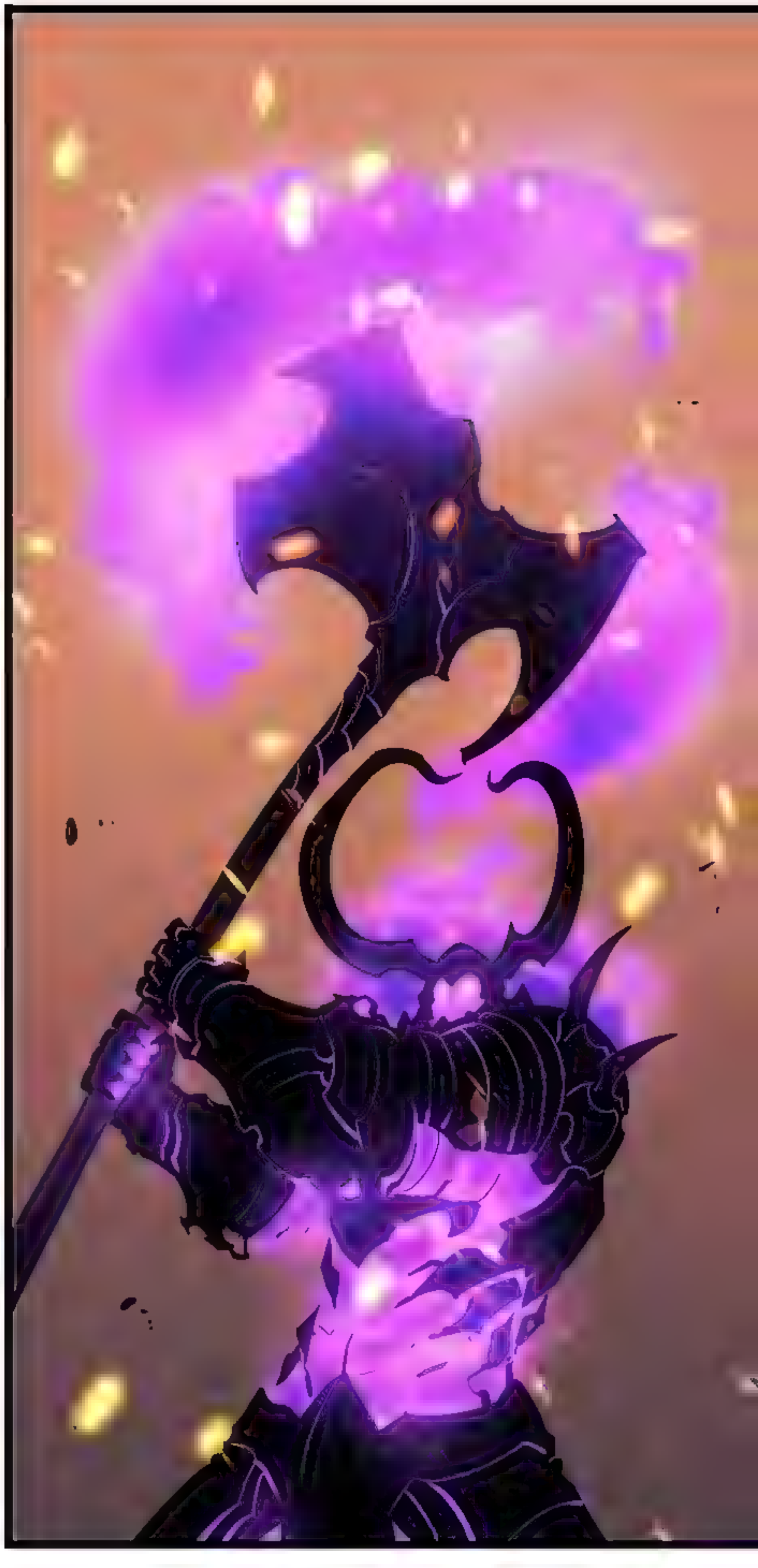
[IRON HAS USED  
"SKILL- SHOUT OF PROVOCATION"]











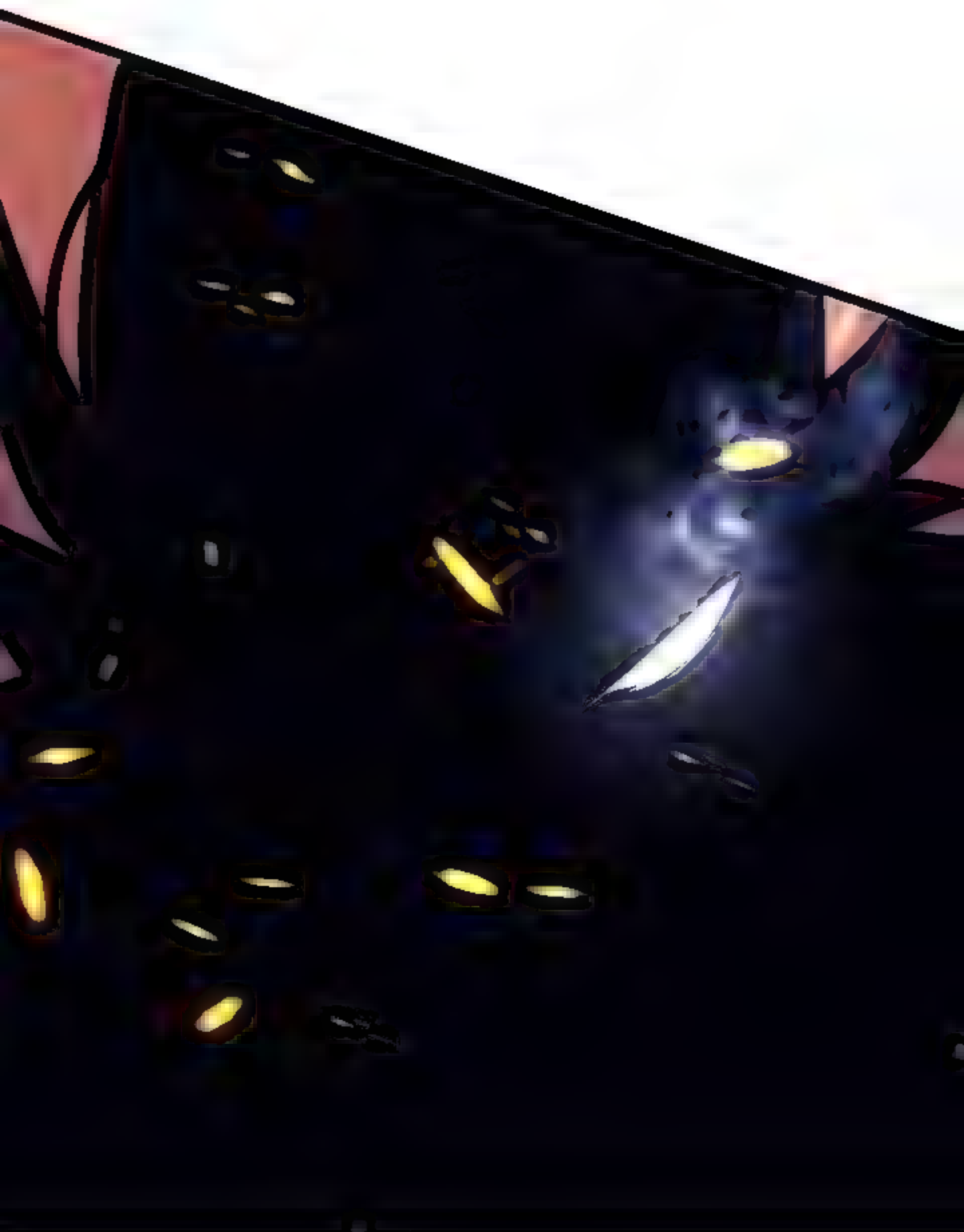








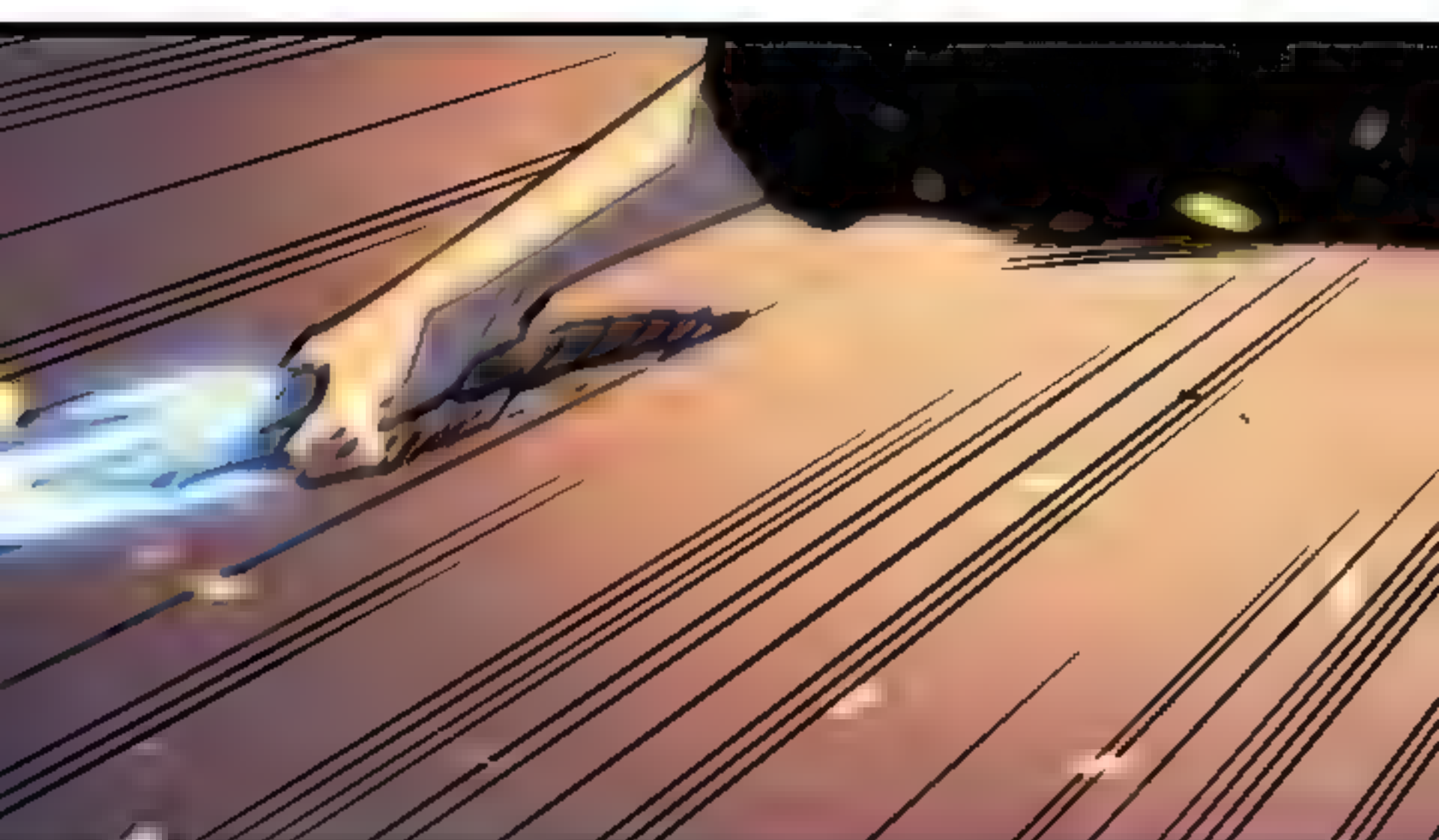



















WHY DID  
SUCH A POWERFUL  
HUNTER VOLUNTEER  
FOR THE PORTER  
POSITION...?



EXCEPT FOR IGRIS,  
IRON, AND TANK, ALL OF  
MY SHADOW SOLDIERS  
ARE AROUND THE SAME  
LEVEL AS B-RANK  
HUNTERS.



THEY  
GET DESTROYED  
THREE OR FOUR TIMES  
BEFORE THEY'RE ABLE  
TO DEFEAT A SINGLE  
HIGH ORC.





THE HIGH ORCS' ARMY IS  
ALSO MORE THAN THREE  
TIMES THE SIZE OF MINE.  
I HAVE TO TAKE OUT AS  
MANY OF THEM AS  
I CAN!



HYMN OF THE  
FIRE DRAGON.

KABOOM

WHAT THE?!  
MY SHADOW  
SOLDIERS...!





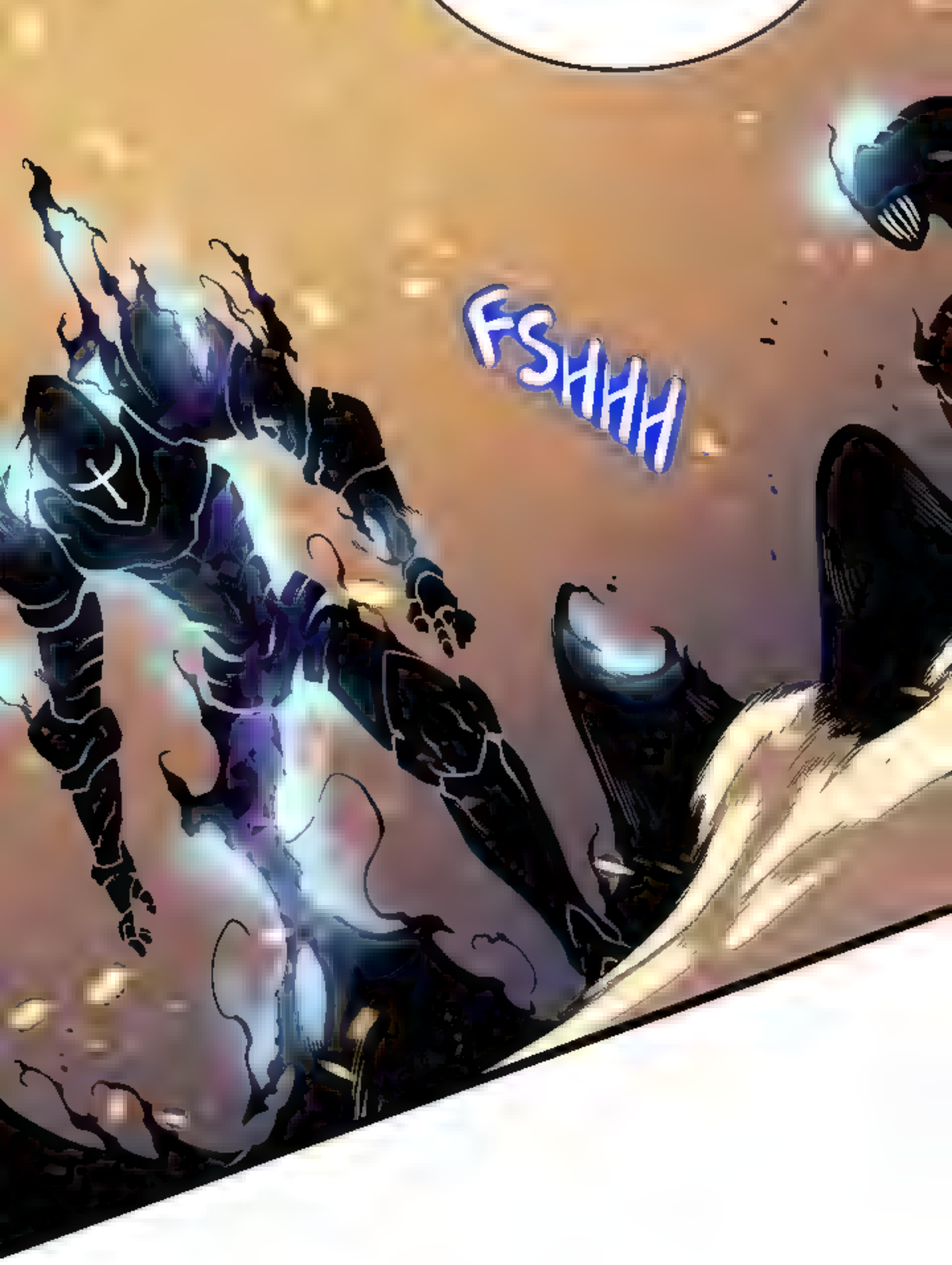
HOW FOOLISH OF YOU  
TO ACT ALL HIGH AND  
MIGHTY WHEN YOUR  
LITTLE PUPPETS ARE  
DOING ALL YOUR  
WORK.



HIGH AND  
MIGHTY? SPEAK  
FOR YOURSELF.



MY SHADOWS  
WILL REGENERATE  
INFINITELY AS  
LONG AS I HAVE  
MANA.



IT DOESN'T MATTER  
IF THEY REGENERATE.  
YOU WILL RUN OUT OF  
MANA SOONER OR  
LATER.





THE SPEED AT  
WHICH MY WARRIORS  
KILL YOUR SHADOWS  
WILL DRAIN YOUR  
MANA.



YOU'RE GOING  
TO DIE BEFORE  
THAT HAPPENS.









HYMN OF  
PROTECTION.

THERE'S NO USE,  
WHILE YOU WASTE YOUR  
TIME, YOUR SOLDIERS  
WILL CONTINUE TO  
DECREASE IN  
NUMBERS.



YOU  
SURE ABOUT  
THAT?

SCREECH



I'VE GOT SOME  
PRETTY STRONG  
SHADOWS OVER  
THERE, TOO.





I DON'T  
THINK YOU SHOULD BE  
WORRYING ABOUT MY  
MANA RESERVES  
RIGHT NOW.



THEN I SHALL ONCE  
AGAIN DESTROY ALL  
OF YOUR SOLDIERS  
WITH A SINGLE BLOW.

HYMN OF  
BLAZING FIRE,





THIS BOSS IS  
STRONGER THAN  
VULCAN OR  
METUS.



METUS WAS ABLE TO  
CONTROL THOUSANDS OF  
UNDEAD SOLDIERS, BUT  
HIS DEFENSES WERE  
WEAK.

ON THE OTHER HAND,  
KARGALGAN'S DEFENSES  
ARE EXCEPTIONAL AND  
HIS SORCERY POWERS  
ARE STRONG AS  
WELL.

TO TOP IT  
OFF, BEHIND ME ARE  
OVER 100 HIGH ORCS. I'M  
GROSSLY OUTNUMBERED, AND  
YET I MUST FIGHT THESE  
ORCS IN HAND-TO-HAND  
COMBAT.



BUT THIS ISN'T THE JOB CHANGE  
QUEST. THE CIRCUMSTANCES ARE  
DIFFERENT THIS TIME.



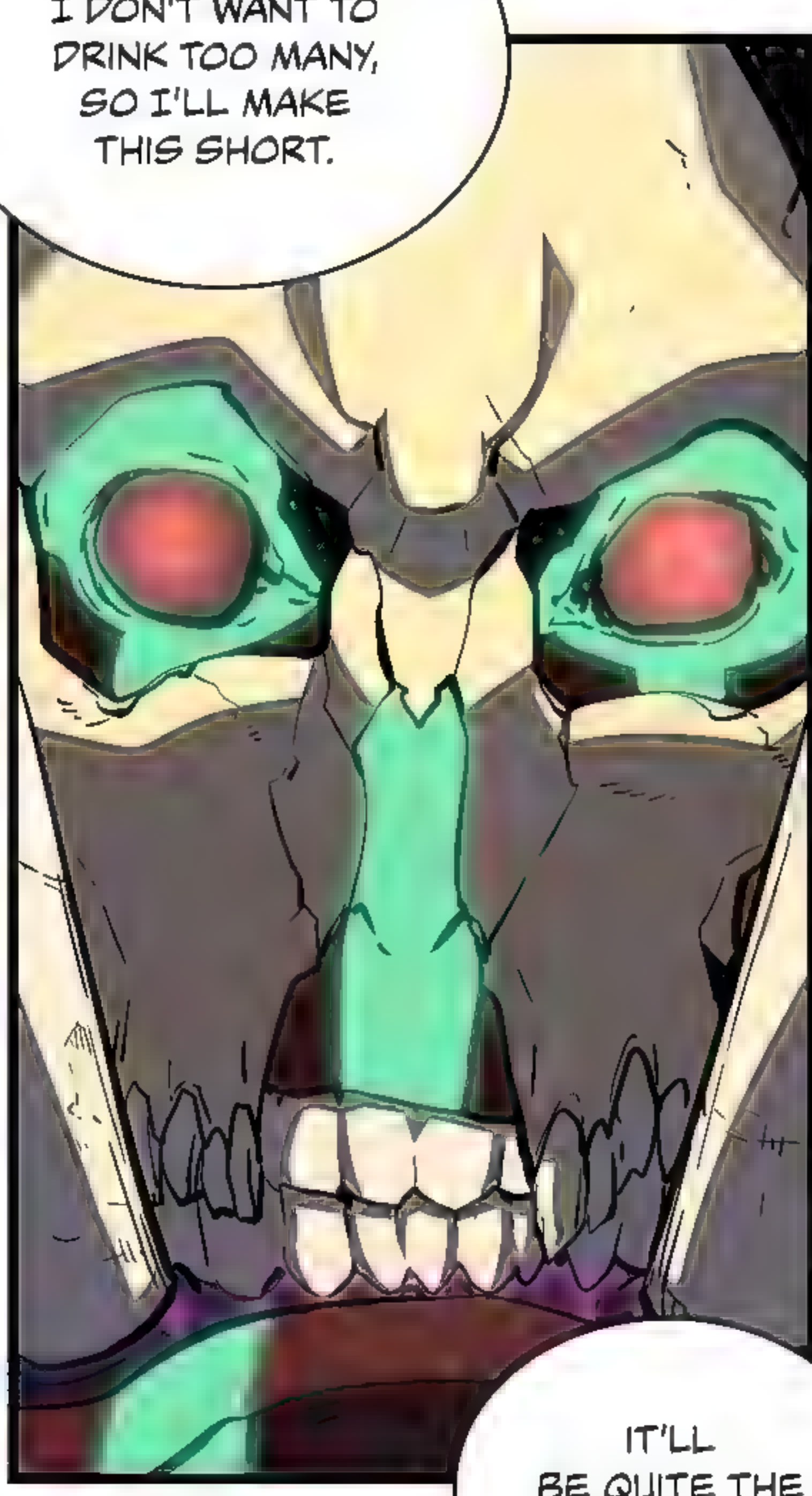
INVENTORY.

I'M ABLE TO  
USE POTIONS IN  
HERE,



WHICH MEANS I  
CAN REPLENISH MY  
MANA WHENEVER  
I WANT TO.

I DON'T WANT TO  
DRINK TOO MANY,  
SO I'LL MAKE  
THIS SHORT.



IT'LL  
BE QUITE THE  
SPECTACLE.



*I'LL SHOW YOU THE TRUE  
POWERS OF A NECROMANCER.*







WHAT'S GOING  
ON...?!



MY WARRIORS  
HAVE BEEN  
TURNED INTO THE  
UNDEAD...!

MANY OF YOUR  
WARRIORS ARE  
STILL ALIVE,

BUT THEY  
TOO WILL SOON  
BECOME ONE WITH  
MY SHADOW.







AND  
ULTIMATELY...

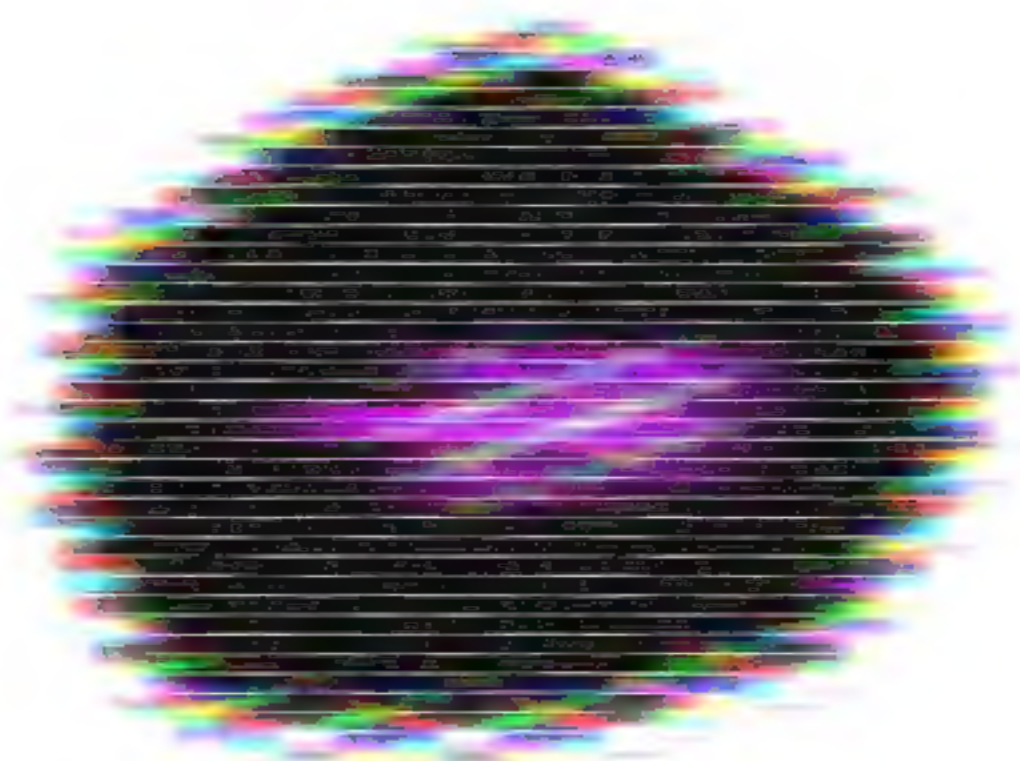
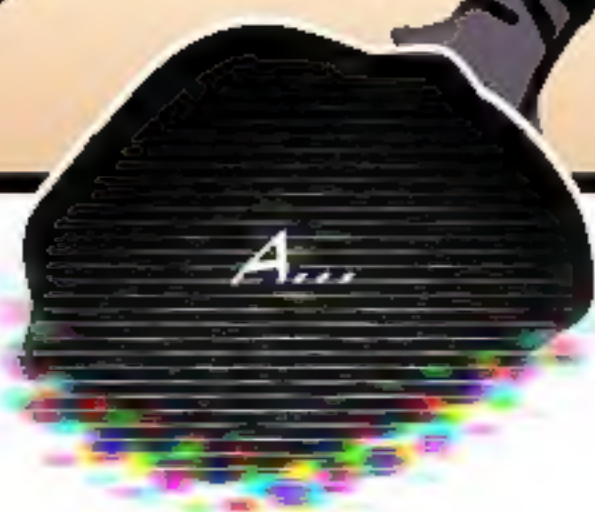


...YOU WILL  
AS WELL.



IMPOSSIBLE...







To Be Continued...

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